

Azure Tech Communities Group Leader September 2020 Communication

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Hello Azure Tech Communities group leaders!

Welcome to September! It's been a busy month preparing for Microsoft Ignite, adjusting to new back-to-school routines, and the changing season. We're excited to share a few resources and upcoming events that we think your groups will enjoy.

Microsoft Ignite - September 22-24, 2020

If you have not registered for Microsoft Ignite next week, it's not too late! Hear the latest product developments and how to put them into action with guidance from Microsoft experts and your worldwide community.

Don't miss the next Group Leaders Quarterly Call

Join us **Wednesday, October 7th** for the group leaders quarterly call. These quarterly calls provide a great opportunity to connect with the Azure Tech Communities team, hear about new resources to support your groups, and find out where the program is going. Thank you to those who provided feedback on the timing, we've shifted the time options based on that feedback. The two options are:

Time option #1 – 15:00 – 15:45 UTC (8:00 – 8:45 PDT)

Time option #2 – 22:00 – 22:45 UTC (15:00 – 15:45 PDT)

We can't wait to chat with you on October 7th!

News from Meetup

- **Meetup Tip:** [Lighten the Load: How to Encourage Your Community to Help Out](#)
- **Meetup website update:** We're updating the design of our homepage and improving the search tool. If you visit Meetup as a guest (you can either log out or use a private/incognito window), you can get a sneak peek. To learn more, you can also watch

the recording of the Meetup Live event [Insights and Updates with Meetup's Product Team](#) from last week.

CodeStories

CodeStories highlights different developers from around the world.

Check out a recent [CodeStories episode](#) from South Africa where we chat with community leaders and members about how they grow through connections gained from Azure Tech Communities groups .

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Connect with product SMEs from Microsoft and fellow community members on the Microsoft Tech Community

The Microsoft Tech Community is Microsoft's digital destination for our users to connect and engage with Microsoft and their fellow community members, enabling knowledge sharing without geographical restrictions.

Connect on [Microsoft Tech Community's Azure Hub](#)

Resources

Content for meetings –

- Microsoft Cloud Workshops - <https://microsoftcloudworkshop.com/>
- Conversational AI Workshop - [https://aka.ms/atc/ConversationalAI Workshop](https://aka.ms/atc/ConversationalAI_Workshop)

Free tools to support meeting virtually -

- Video meeting from Skype - <https://www.skype.com/en/free-conference-call/>
- Microsoft Teams - [https://aka.ms/atc/MSTeams Free](https://aka.ms/atc/MSTeams_Free)

Newsletter archive

If you missed our last update (or any previous updates), you can visit our newsletter archive to find past editions.

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'Til next month!

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